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R 170106Z MAY 78
FM AMEMBASSY WELLINGTON
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5582
INFO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW
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AMEMBASSY SUVA
CINCPAC HONOLULU
AMCONSUL AUCKLAND BY POUCH

C O N F I D E N T I A L WELLINGTON 02604

CINCPAC ALSO FOR POLAD, EA FOR GLEYSTEN

EO 11652: GDS
TAGS: PERP, PDIP, CH, US
SUBJECT: PRC AMBASSADOR'S INVITATION

1. DURING THE GNZ'S STATE LUNCHEON FOR VICE PRESIDENT MONDALE ON MAY 10, PRC AMBASSADOR PEI TSIEN-CHANG, WHO WAS ATTENDING IN HIS CAPACITY AS DEAN OF THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS, INVITED AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN "TO HAVE A GOOD CHINESE MEAL" WITH HIM WHEN THE SELDENS RETURN FROM THEIR CURRENT TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES. IN THE FOUR YEARS THAT BOTH AMBASSADORS HAVE SERVED IN WELLINGTON, THERE HAVE BEEN NO SOCIAL OVER-TURES OF ANY KIND BY PEI TO AMBASSADOR SELDEN.

2. THIS MAY ONLY BE A RANDOM INVITATION, BUT IN THE LIGHT OF THE RECENT SPATE OF SOCIAL CONTACTS INITIATED
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BY CHINESE MILITARY ATTACHES WITH THEIR AMERICAN COUNTERPARTS, IT SHOULD BE WORTH WATCHING WHETHER A SERIES OF SIMILAR CONTACTS IS NOW BEGUN WITH OTHER U.S. DIPLOMATS. HEALY

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